CIRCULATION
in trading area
8,018

Nevada County's Own
NUGGET SHOPPER
SMILEY-LEETE PUBLICATIONS

BOXHOLDER — LOCAL
Sec. 562, P. L. & R.
U. S. POSTAGE
PAID
Permit No. 2
Grass Valley, Calif

Volume 1—No. 6 | NEVADA CITY-GRASS VALLEY, CALIFORNIA | Friday, January 2, 1948

ASHES AWAY

The dusting brush attachment on your vacuum cleaner will do a quick pickup job on ash trays. It saves your polishing cloths and prevents ashes from scattering.

FOR USE WITH YOUR MIXER

A rubber scraper is the best implement to use around the inside of your electric mixer bowl. A metal spoon or knife may get in the whirling beaters and damage them.

TONIGHT
and Every Night—
it's
BENNY BENEFIELD
KGFN RADIO ARTIST
AND HIS PIANO
Playing for You and You and You in the
COCKTAIL LOUNGE
of the
Bret Harte Inn
HEAR BENNY BENEFIELD
in "Rhythmic Reminiscings" every Saturday Nite
at 7:30 over KGFN
ASK—Benny to play your hit favorite any night
at the Bret Harte Inn Cocktail Lounge

For the Gibson Girl's
Grand-Daughter

A Lush Crepe
with a beautiful
shoulder and
sleeve.

Winter Berry
Winter Green
Snow White
Buttered Rum

Sizes 10 to 16

$7.95

Torch

THE Bon Allure
WOMEN'S APPAREL
141 MILL STREET GRASS VALLEY

SHADOWETTES PRESENTED BY FRANK N. HILE

SHADOWETTES...

Now where do you suppose he is going in such a hurry?

Aluminum
FULL CABS
for
JEEPS
•
$105
Plus Installation
•

HILE'S--WILLYS
SALES AND SERVICE
WILLYS JEEPS, CARS and TRUCKS
AUBURN AND WHITING STS. TELEPHONE 970
GRASS VALLEY, CALIFORNIA

DR. KERRIN HEADS XMAS BASKET GROUP

NEVADA CITY: Christmas baskets were distributed to 33 needy famiies in Nevada City. The distribution was made by a committee consisting of members of Elks, Rotary, Lions and Business and Professional Women under direction of Dr. Cyril Kerrin, chairman.

Price Worth Paying

Prospects for walking into the nearest showroom and driving away that new car in '48 are still extremely dim, according to auto industry spokesmen, but whether you lay hands on a new model or drive a car held together by baling wire, you'll have to pungle up higher license and registration fees next year.

California has embarked on a multi-billion-dollar highway construction program and the State's automobile owners will begin sharing the cost load in the new registration period, which starts January 2 and extends through February 4.

Incidentally, don't believe what your 1947 "white slip" tells you. Its fee schedule has been revised. To compute your bill, the Department of Motor Vehicles advices this procedure: take the total fees listed in the lower left hand corner, add three dollars and increase or decrease to the nearest dollar. If your bill is, say, $9.51, you pay $10; if its $9.49 you pay $9. The only variation will be for those paying a minimum fee, which is now $7.

There's bound to be some grumbling over the higher rates, but without them, California's highways, already outmoded, would go to ruin. And when your dream car—or your jalopy—hits the new roads, you'll have a much better chance of reaching your journey's end unscathed.

(Advertisement)

YOU ARE THE BOSS!

A butcher, baker, candlestick maker, or banker has nothing on you. Your abilities, whatever they are, will definitely aid you as a model railroader. Why? Because model railroading is one of the most versatile of hobbies. It allows expression of life, action, artistry, and things scientific; and you may either share your model railroad interests with thousands of others, or you may spend quiet evenings at home working on your own railroad.

If you like things electrical, there is no end of fascinating circuits you can develop to help control trains, protect them from accident, and create realistic operating effects. You will find building and coloring scenery will give you the same exciting fascination you get from traveling, for you create an imaginary countryside to follow your own will. If you have a mechanical interest, or are interested in railroad history and romance, model railroading offers you an excellent means of expression. There are some model railroads that are living cartoons just packed with funny kinds of locomotives and cars, humorous station names, or interesting stories about the originals from which the models were made.

Again you will find there are some challenging problems in each phase of model railroading to which you may contribute a new and better solution. All of these interesting things will come to you as you continue your model railroading.

Probably you like most every man since boyhood have had the urge to be a railroad engineer.

Now is your Chance!

Some fellows build heavy main lines with many tracks and broad sweeping curves; others like crooked branch lines with all the weeds and broken-down stations. Your railroad will be still different. It will be the way you want it to be because you are the boss.

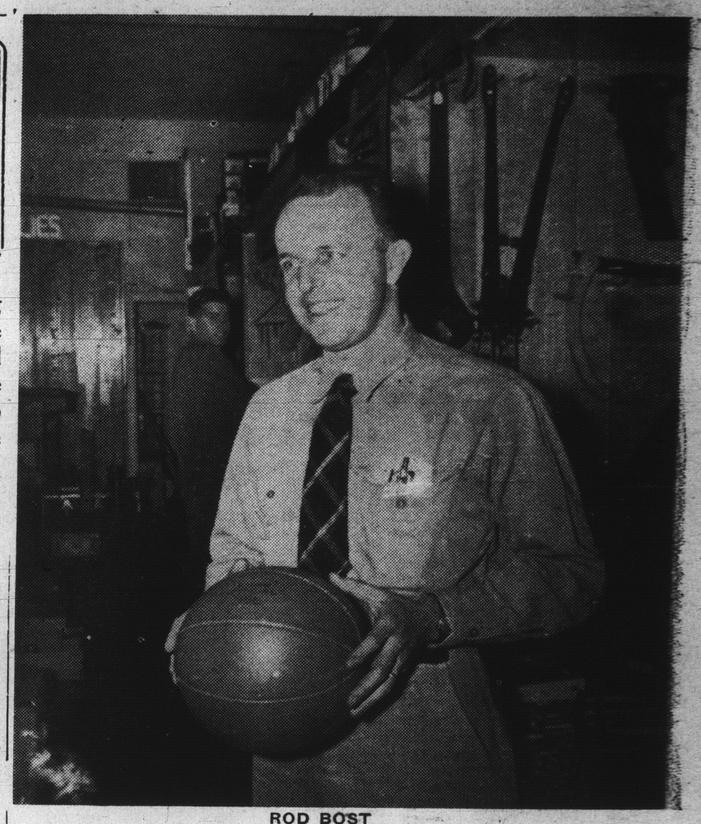
Scale Model Railroading Is Fun!

But there's even more fun when you know the tricks of the hobby.

Visit Hobbyhouse in Grass Valley and find out how you, too, can get started at a very reasonable cost in the "Hobby that goes Places."

HOBBYHOUSE
"Hobbies Are Fun"
Auburn and Colfax Avenue
GRASS VALLEY

NUGGET SHOPPER SALUTES



ROD BOST

ROD BOST, partner of Orlo P. Steele who founded Steele Supply Co., is the subject today of the Nugget Shopper's thumbnail biography. Steele Supply Co. is one of Nevada County's leading mercantile institutions and Bost has been instrumental in aiding its founder in the past year's expanding business activities.

A newcomer to this area, Bost became a partner in Steele Supply Co. in March, 1947. From the time of his discharge from active duty as a Lieutenant Senior Grade in the Navy until his affiliation with Steele, Bost was employed in a managerial position in the sales department of Aluminum Corporation of America.

The 33-year-old business leader saw combat duty during the war as commander of a troop-carrying landing craft in the Pacific Theater. His service included front-line duty in the Philippines and Borneo.

He graduated from Stanford University where he was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity, in 1935. Bost took an active part in athletics and was a member of the varsity basketball team. He was elected captain in his senior year.

His present sports activities are principally confined to baseball, badminton and rooting for Stanford.

Bost lives in Grass Valley with his wife, Adrienne, and their nine-year-old daughter, Linda Lee. The Bosts were married in 1937, following a campus romance and shortly after Mrs. Bost received her diploma from Stanford.

Between graduating from the university and his service in the Navy, Bost was employed in the sales promotion department of the Sperry Flour Co. division of General Mills.

Steele Supply Co. serves a substantial and increasing regional trade, servicing, in an excellent manner, both retail and industrial accounts. Among the many first class lines of merchandise carried at Steele's are: Westinghouse Radios, Appliances, Industrial Motors and Controls, Plomb Tools, Delta Power Tools, Berkeley Water Pumps, California Oxygen and Acetylene, Disston Saws and Tools, Disston Chain Saws, Esco Logging Supplies, Glidden Paints, Leschen Wire Rope, Victor Welding Equipment, Shawnigan Carbides, Wilson Sporting Goods, Worthington Pneumatic Tools, and Mercury Outboard Motors.

THE - Diary of a 49'er

FROM THE BOOK EDITED BY C. L. CANFIELD

JULY 28, 1850—I went over and saw the Long Tom working. It will revolutionize mining if it will save the gold. Took plans of it. I'm handy with tools and knocked one togetther without too much trouble. The Nevada City blacksmith charged me four dollars to punch the holes in the sheetiron plate. Set it up on the claim Friday and took out almost two ounces that day. Worked a strip eight feet square. That is as much as I did in a week with a rocker. All the miners up and down the creek came to see it working. I had offers of two ounces apiece to make three of them but I've promised Anderson to begin work on the ditch as soon as I get through with the claim. Had a letter from Dad that gave me the blues. Dear old mother is pining and ailing to see me—afraid something will happen to me. Well, I am way off out of the world but I've got the best of health. I wrote her a long letter cheering her up and promising I woud come back as soon as I got six thousand dollars together. Dad says Hetty is a good girl and I could not pick out a better wife and that she comes over to the place regularly and asks them to read to her my letters. Some of the married miners are planning to bring their wives out from the states. About the only thing holding them back is the certainty that it will not take long to clean up all the gold there is in the country and then there would be nothing left to do except go back again. A lot argue that they can go to farming in the valleys, but with the mines worked out, the miners gone out of the montains, where would they have a market for what they raised?

AUGUST 4, 1850—Had a great streak of luck last week. Worked out the claim and before I moved the Tom, tried some of the rocker tailings. They were as rich as if the dirt had not been washed and I took nineteen ounces out of the riffle box besides a nugget that weighed nearly an ounce. I've taken out of the claim about one hundred and twenty ounces and have sent Dad fifteen hundred dolars. It has cost me about five hundred dollars to live and I've got six ounces in the yeast powder box under the big stone in front of the fire place. I'm worried about North. I don't care about the $50, but it's singular that he doesn't show up or write.

AUGUST 11, 1850—Anderson moved his traps over to my cabin and we are living together. It makes a lot of difference having a pard with you, somebody to talk and tell your troubles to, although he laughs at me, swears that I have no troubles and don't know what troubles are. I have told him about the old folks and Hetty and about my plan to buy the Slocum farm, and he says: "Don't worry about the girl. She will wait for you fast enough as long as you are sending home money; and as for troubles, when you are married then you will begin to know something about them." I asked him if he was married and he said "yes" anid then he shut up like a clam. We have dug more than half the ditch and will finish it this week. There are a couple of gray squirrels that frolic around in the big pine tree in front of the cabin. I got the shotgun out but Anderson said: "Why kill God's creatures? Let them live their lives." He's strange in some ways. He laid there half the afternoon watching them scamper around the limbs or sitting up on their hind legs eating pine nuts and said there was more satisfaction in enjoying their antics than eating squirrel stew.

AUGUST 18, 1850—We finished the ditch on Thursday and turned in the water. It carries a lot more than we need and when we ran it into the gulch, Anderson got a new idea. We put a trench down through the middle of the ravine and there was a pretty heavy fall. The top dirt is nothing but red clay and he began picking the dirt and watching it run off into the creek and then said: "What's the use of shoveling this all off when the water will do it for us." Sure enough it worked like a charm. We pulled off our shoes, turned up our overalls, jumped into the trench and worked away like beavers and the water did more work in one day than both of us could have stripped shoveling in a week.

By Saturday noon we have cleared off a strip forty feet long and ten feet wide and will set the Long Tom tomorrow and clean it up. It looks like pretty good ground as we could pick up lots of pieces of gold, some of them weighing two bits.

The weather is awfully hot but it doesn't bother us much to work when it's the hottest, and I have not

(PLEASE TURN TO PAGE 4)

Two Ladies of the Dairy Meet . . . the Subject Could Be Hats

DALLAS, TEX. — The mutual greeting was, "Where did you get that hat?" when Springlea Gay Lass, grand champion Ayrshire cow owned by Curtiss Candy Company, was introduced to Elsie at the Texas State Fair. Gay Lass' smug look comes from the fact that she had just been named grand champion at the Texas fair. A week previously, she had won the same honor at the Dairy Cattle Congress, Waterloo, Iowa.

LITTER

By Arthur Pointer

REG'LAR FELLERS

By Gene Byrnes

AH! AN' AGAIN, AH!
MONEY TO LOAN
IN LARGE & COPIOUS QUANTITIES
SCROOCH LOAN COMPANY
FEEP BLDG - ROOM 1313
POSITIVELY NO EMBARRASSING QUESTIONS ASKED
SO YOU'D LIKE TO BORROW A COUPLE OF THOUSAND DOLLARS, EH, MISTER DUFFY?
YES SIR, IN SMALL BILLS, PLEASE!
WELL NOW, CAN YOU GIVE ME SOME IDEA WHEN YOU'LL BE ABLE TO PAY US BACK?
OH-HO! I THOUGHT THERE WAS A TRICK IN IT!
CONSIDER YASELF CORRECTED!
MONEY TO LOAN
IN LARGE & COPIOUS QUANTITIES
SCROOCH LOAN COMPANY
FEEP BLDG - ROOM 1313
~~POSITIVELY~~ ONCE EMBARRASSING QUESTIONS ASKED

Native Of San Juan Ridge Dies In Palo Alto

NEVADA CITY: Mrs. Doris Foley, prseident of the Nevada County Historical Society, reports the sad news of the death of her aunt, Mrs. Edward L. Hallawell in Palo Alto, Saturday, December 20th. Funeral services were held there.

Mrs. Hallawell was born on the White Ranch on Shady Creek 87 years ago. Her maiden name was Eva Louise Fowler. She was the daughter of Emerson and Elizabeth Fowler, early day residents of Columbia Hill. She was married in North Columbia, Nevada County, in 1877 to Edward L. Hallawell, who preceded her in death 14 years ago. The late Mrs. Stacia Godfrey of this city was her bridesmaid.

The Hallawells left the Ridge, where Columbia is situated, when hydraulic mining declined, and moved to Oakland. There Mrs. Hallawell became active in relief work for the victims of the great earthquake and fire which destroyed much of San Francisco in 1906.

She often recalled that as a child she waited by the gate of her home in North Columbia for Robert McMurray, superintendent of the Delhi Mine, to ride by in his carriage with the bullion from his mine, guarded in the van and in the rear by armed horsemen.

Surviving her is her son, Rex E. Hallawell, general manager of the Southern Pacific Company, with whom she made her home in Palo Alto.

In captivity the chimpanzee can be taught to eat with a fork and knife, and to perform many tricks requiring not only powers of imitation but intelligence and judgment.

Approximately 333,939 persons visited Grand Canyon National Park in fiscal year 1945-46, according to the director of National Park Service.

Shell collecting is an effective tool in unraveling geological structures in the quest of oil, metals, or deposits of building materials.

The climate of Monterey, Santa Cruz and San Benito counties is ideal for lettuce production during the spring, summer and fall.

Nearly one million persons visited the California Academy of Sciences' displays in San Francisco's Golden Gate Park in 1946.

A total of 6547 shipments of nursery stock entered San Francisco during 1946.

CHOIR SINGS FOR PATIENTS AT DE WITT

GRASS VALLEY: The Grass Valley Carol Choir, after singing in Mill Street Christmas Eve and for a radio broadcast Christmas morning, Friday evening sang for the staff and patients in DeWitt State Hospital.

Early Sunday morning the choir will leave for San Francisco to sing in Trinity Cathedral for the morning service. In the afternoon, at 4 oclock, they will give a concert in Oakland's Auditorium. During the evening they will sing in the Shattuck Avenue Methodist Church of Berkeley.

Requiem Mass For John Cicogni, December 30

NEVADA CITY: John Cicogni, born in Tereglio, Italy, on August 25, 1882, residing at 534 Spring Street, passed away Saturday afternoon.

He came to California as a young man at the age of 24, and since has made Nevada City his home. His principal occupation was mining for many years, but owing to poor health, had to retire several years ago.

He was a member of the Mine Workers Protective League of Grass Valley and also of Cristoforo Colombo Foresters Ltd., of Nevada City.

Surviving members of the family are: A wife, Angelica Cicogni, with whom he celebrated their 41st wedding anniversary; sons, Lorenzo and Joe of this city; daughter, Giovanna Mathewson of Grass Valley; a sister of Longoio, Italy; a brother, Charles Cicogni of Mill Street, Grass Valley; a granddaughter, Carol Lee Cicogni of this city; a grandson, John Mathewson of Grass Valley; and also many nieces and nephews of Nevada City and Grass Valley.

Rosary services were held at the Holmes Funeral Home Monday evening at eight o'clock. Also services by Cristoforo Colombo Foresters Ltd.

Requiem Mass at St. Canice's Church at 10 A. M. December 30. Remains will be interred at the Catholic Cemetery in Nevada City.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

GILBERT-FLYNN—In Nevada City, Nevada County, December 24, 1947, William G. Gilbert, 43, and Emma A. Flynn, 39, both of Grass Valley.

CLASSIFIED

Watch for
Opening Announcement
Lola Richmond's
CUP AND SAUCER
at Gold Bowl

A COMPLETE LINE of all types of fire extinguishers, fire hose, etc. Recharging including CO2.
POOLE FIRE EQUIPMENT CO.
135 So. Church St., G. V. Ph. 1032

Open 7 Days a Week
COCKTAILS
ANDRES
Opposite Del Oro Theatre
Grass Valley
LEON
at the Piano
DANCING

WANT ADS

NUGGET Ads Bring Results

FOR THE BEST USED CAR BARGAIN
BUY, SELL OR TRADE
See
JIM ERSKINE
Erskine Automotive Electric
401 East Main St., Grass Valley
Telephone 474
tf

WANTED—Good used cars. . . Highest prices paid. Drive in with car. Leave with cash. EARL COVEY GARAGE, 143 East Main St., Grass Valley. tf

STARLET STUDIO OF DANCING. 228 Broad St., Thursday 1:00 to 5:00. O28tf

TELEPHONE OPERATORS
Interesting Work You Can Stay With
Earn $31 for a 40 hour week at the start. Regular pay increases
Apply
The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company
318 BROAD STREET
NEVADA CITY

G. E. Golvin
PLASTERING
Box 771 McCourtney Road
Phone Grass Valley 101-J
before 6 p. m.

Do You Need
CASH!
LOANS ON
SALARY
FURNITURE
AUTO
UP TO 24 MONTHS TO PAY
Mercantile Acceptance Company
TELEPHONE 515
890 Lincoln Way Auburn, Calif.

PRE-INVENTORY Event

PRICED TO CLEAR BEFORE WE TAKE INVENTORY.
BUY NOW AT A SAVINGS. LOOK FOR THE SPECIAL TAG.

	REGULAR PRICE	SALE	SAVE
KROEHLER 2-PC. LIVING ROOM SET	199.50	129.50	70.00
OTHER LIVING ROOM SETS ROSE FRIEZE	298.50	198.50	100.00
OTHER LIVING ROOM SETS ROSE FRIEZE	275.50	175.50	100.00
ARMLESS DIVAN	69.95	59.95	10.00
FLOOR LAMPS	24.95	14.95	10.00
PLATFORM ROCKERS	49.95	39.95	10.00
TABLE LAMPS	Each 4.25	7.95 Per Pair	

THE FURNITURE CENTER
256 SOUTH AUBURN ST. OPPOSITE VETERANS MEMORIAL BUILDING TELEPHONE 36

CLEARANCE

Funeral Was Friday For Mrs. Ellen Crase

GRASS VALLEY: Funeral services were held Friday aternoon in Hooper & Weaver Mortuary for Mrs. Ellen Berryman Crase, who died in a local hospital on Christmas night. Rev. Donald Getty, pastor of the Methodist Church here, conducted the service. Native Daughters of the Golden West were associated in the ceremony. Interment was in the City Cemetery.

The deceased was born in Grass Valey 72 years ago. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William H. Berryman and widow of the late James Crase. One daughter, Mrs. Ed. Clemo of Grass Valley, survives.

Mrs. Crase was a charter member of the American Legion Auxiliary, the Fire Department Auxiliary, Manzanita Parlor, Native Daughters of the Golden West Olympic Temple, Pythian Sisters, and the Suburban Club of South Grass Valley.

DIVORCE

ROWLAND—In Nevada City, Nevada County, December 24, 1947, Mary LeClair Rowland against Claude George Rowland; complaint filed: cruelty.

Carpeting Features' Fashion Show

NEW YORK—First fashion show in the home furnishings field featured the fall meeting of the home furnishings division here. Carpet Institute, Inc. staged the show at a New York hotel. A collection of wool carpets and rugs, selected on the basis of style and color, covering a wide price range, was shown. Six attractive models, like the pretty miss above, paraded on the flood-lighted runway, carrying carpet samples mounted on frames, to the accompaniment of background music and a running commentary by Milo Boulton, master of ceremonies. Each sample was draped with a correlated swatch of drapery fabric.

TO TIME CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

To make sure your Christmas lights are turned on and off, plug the cord into an automatic 12-hour electric timer clock. You can pre-select the hours of the day you desire the lights, and the clock will do the rest—turning them on at night-fall and off when you go to bed.

CORD TREATMENT

In using and storing appliance cords do not kink or bend them sharply. Detachable cords should be wound loosely around two round hooks or pegs. Attached cords should be looped in the paces provided or them, but never wrapped around hot appliances.

JUST WONDERIN'

I Wonder, when the New Year stnds
Upon a lofty pinnacle of time
Observing earth's conglomerate
Of tawdry, useless and sublime,
If, as the old year totters by,
He'll pause just long enough to say,
"Go on child, do the best you can
To solve earth's problems with her monarch, man."

The New Year, 1948, is with us; he comes scowling and seems to be somewhat ailing; still, he displays some promising symptoms and we who welcome him, can only fare on and hope for the best.

Are you sorry for the New Year, coming as he does, to a world in such dire perplexity? I'm not. I'm sorry for poor old Mother Earth. 1948 is a problem child, unpredictable in the extreme. Mother Earth knows that he will be temperamental—there is to be a presidential campaign during his stay and we all know what that means in the terms of arm-waving and vocalization. Poor old Mother Earth, how will she manage this obstreperous youngster, what will the little races of mankind make of him?

We, all of us, are in a measure responsible for the fate of 1948; each one of us in his own sphere of influence, can do something to make this a good year, and who knows, if we carry enough of the Christmas Spirit with us through the days to come, the adverse winds of fate may be broken by strong counter currents of good will and understanding.

It is oh, so easy to say "Happy New Year," and we woud be amazed if we were told how many times tht salutation was spoken during the Yuletide season just past. Yes, saying Happy New Year calls for no exertion either physical or mental, to most of us, it is just the spontaneous overflow of good will which is in evidence in our association with one another when the Spirit of Christmas walks the earth and we are welcoming the New Year. If we, you and I, uttered those words sincerely and hopefully to those with whom we came in contact—then it would be foolish not to strive by every means within our power to make the wish come true. Indeed, that is our job during all the remaining days of 1947 and we should work at it most conscientiously.

When the year 1948 shall have run its course, it will slip into the limbo of things past and become just one more page of the world's amazing history—one of the millions of years that have gone their way, just another page of history, and it is we who must write the record. At the present time, it looks as though page 1948 might bear a few smudges, we can only hope that the good accomplished by those who are working for world betterment, will brighten the dark places and make the page to appear bright and smiling.

So, Happy New Year to all, and may these words create good will, kindliness, sympathy and above all, tolerance.

ALL-PURPOSE WASHER — **By Paulson**

"OOPS, sorry, Mrs. Logan! I didn't realize you were bathing Mr. Logan!"

INKLINGS — **By Jarvis**

"Finders keepers, losers weepers!"

• At this beginning of 1948 we voice the hope that good fortune will come to you not from two ways alone, but from every direction!

Art's Radio Hospital
201 Mill Street — Phone 894
GRASS VALLEY

We look hopefuliy forward, with you, to a better year than the last, to a better year than any of us even dream of—for all!

Stinson Company
102 W. Main Street — Telephone 101-J
GRASS VALLEY

TUSSY
Wind and Weather Lotion
Regular $1.00 size (8 oz.) now 50c

McClard
The Druggist
SO. AUBURN STREET — TELEPHONE 90
GRASS VALLEY, CALIF.

PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

ACCOUNTANT

EDWIN STEPHENS
PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT
Town Talk — Telephone 791-J

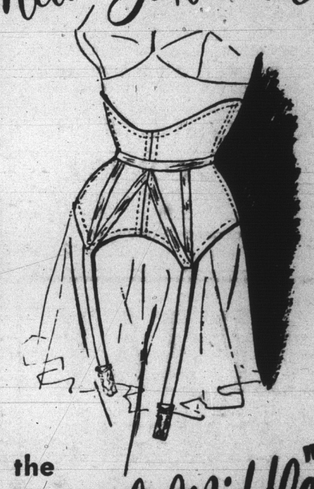
FUNERAL DIRECTORS

HOLMES FUNERAL HOME
The Holmes Funeral Home service is priced within the means of all. Ambulance service at all hours.
Phone 203
246 Sacramento St. Nevada City

OPTOMETRISTS

GEORGE C. BOLES
Optometrist
312 Broad St. — Nevada City
Telephone 270-W

for that
New Silhouette



the
"Whittle Middle"
by Kabo

A nylon waist nipper with satin ribbon trim. Light as a breeze, yet it gives that small waisted look so necessary to the new fashions. Four garters.
Nude only. Sizes 24 to 30
$3.95

Bert's
116 Mill Street
GRASS VALLEY, CALIF.

HALF-PRICE SALE!

Tussy
Wind and Weather Lotion
regular $1 size (8 ounces)
now only 50¢
$2 size . . . now $1
Economy carton (six $1 size bottles) $3 a carton, all prices plus tax
- Guards against chapping
- Soothes skin roughness
- Perfect as foundation base
- Helps protect skin from head to heels

ORDER NOW!
Special for limited time only!

Harris
DRUG STORE
Charles P. Elliott, Prop.
Telephone 100
Broad St., Nevada City

SEE and DRIVE

THE CARS THAT ESTABLISHED THE TREND IN MOTOR CAR STYLING

The Amazing New **KAISER**
AND THE
FRAZER As Modern as Tomorrow

Immediate Deliveries!

NO TRADE-INS REQUIRED

OPENING DAY SATURDAY
January 3, 1948

McKINSEY MOTORS
Kaiser-Frazer
119 South Church St. — GRASS VALLEY — Telephone 1207-J

The Diary of a 49'er

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1)

heard of anyone being sunstruck. It's funny how quickly it cools off after sundown. A breeze starts and blows up the creek strong enough to sway the tops of the pine trees, and the noise in the branches sounds like a lullaby. Since Pard came to camp with me we spend an hour or two every evening after supper sitting out under a big sugar pine that grows in front of the cabin, smoking our pipes, but don't talk much. It is all so solemn and still, that is it seems so until you begin to hear what Pard calls voices of the night, the frogs, the owls, the rasp of the tree toads, or the howl of a wolf way off in the mountains, and were it not for the glimmer of a light in Platt's cabin down the creek, we would think we were two castaways lost in a wilderness.

One hundred years ago the United States produced practically no lead, zinc or copper.

In 1860, the sheepmen of the State formed the California Wool Growers Association.

Alcatraz Island, in San Francisco Bay, was so named in 1775 by the Avala Expedition.

The first Mexican grant in the San Joaquin Valley, "Los Meganos," was purchased in 1838 by John Marsh.

A herd of 28 camels arrived at Foet Tejon, near the present city of Bakersfield, in 1857, to be used for military prposes.

Coriander seeds contain a strong oil of characteristic taste and are used to season soups, cakes, cookies and confectionery.

NEVADA CITY FRATERNAL AND CLUB DIRECTORY

NEVADA CITY ON THE THRESHOLD TO THE BEST IN SPORTS - RECREATION

•

NEVADA CITY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

NEVADA CITY LODGE, No. 518, B. P. O. ELKS
Meets every second and fourth Thursday evenings at 8 p. m. in Elks Home, Pine St., Phone 108. Visiting Elks welcome.
William Wasley, E. R.
William Tamblyn, Sec.

MINING ENGINEERS

J. F. O'CONNOR
Mining and Civil Engineer
United States Mineral Surveying
Licensed Surveyor
203 West Main St., Grass Valley

SPRAY PAINTING

COMMERCIAL
INDUSTRIAL
MINING
LUMBERING
PROPERTIES

WE DO IT FOR YOU ECONOMICALLY QUICKLY EFFECTIVELY.

PHONE 455
Grass Valley
CLIFFORD SHEPHERD
Licensed Contractor
314 Henderson Street
GRASS VALLEY

8018
that is the
CIRCULATION
of the
NUGGET SHOPPER
which now has
MORE THAN DOUBLE
the
Circulation
in the trading area than any competing publications
8018

NUGGET RECIPES

BARBECUED SPARE RIBS

2 lbs. spare ribs; 1 med. onion; 2 tbs. fat or salad oil; ¼ cup lemon juice; 2 tbs. vinegar; 1 tbs. Worcestershire sauce; 2 tbs. brown sugar; 1 cup chili sauce; salt and pepper.

Have spare ribs cut into serving portions. Place in baking pan; bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 30 min. Chop onion, brown in fat or salad oil. Add juice, vinegar, Worcestershire sauce, brown sugar, water, chili sauce, salt and pepper. Cook slowly 20 min. Pour over spare ribs; continue baking 1 hour. Serves 4.

o-o-o

MOCK SQUAB STEW

2 lbs. pork shoulder; 2 large onions; 2 tbs. fat or salad oil; 4 tart apples; ½ tsp. salt; few grains pepper; few grains cinnamon; 2 cans cond. consomme; ½ cup flour; 3 cups hot seasoned mashed potatoes.

Cut pork in 1½" cubes. Slice onions; brown with pork in fat or salad oil. Place in baking dish. Dice apples; add. Sprinkle with salt, pepper and cinnamon. Blend consomme with flour; cook slowly, stirring constantly until thickened. Pour over pork mixture. Cover; bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 1½-2 hours. Top with mashed potateos; place in oven until brown. Serves 8.

o-o-o

ROAST LEG OF VEAL

Use 7-8 lb. leg of veal, allowing ½ lb. per person. Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Place on rack in roasting pan. Insert meat thermometer into center of thickest part of meat, being sure bulb does not rest on bone. Roast in slow oven (300°F.) 30-35 min. per lb. or until meat thermometer registers 170° F.-180° F. If desired, serve with pan gravy.

o-o-o

PLUM CRUMB PUDDING

2 cups graham cracker crumbs; 1-3 cup sugar; 1 tsp. cinnamon; ½ tsp. nutmeg; ¼ cup melted butter or margarine; 3 tbs. water; 2 cups sliced pitted plums; vanilla or butter pecan ice cream.

Combine crumbs, sugar, cinnamon, nutmeg, butter or margarine and water. Place alternate layers crumb mixture and plums in individual baking dishes, ending with plums. Bake in moderate oven (350°F.) 25 min. Serve hot with ice cream. Serves 4.

o-o-o

RED CHERRY BETTY

1 No. 2 can (2½ cups) pitted sour red cherries; 3 cups corn flakes; 2-3 cup firmly packed brown sugar; 1 tsp. cinnamon; ½ tsp. nutmeg; 1 tbs. butter or margarine.

Drain cherries, reserving sirup. Mix corn flakes, sugar, cinnamon and nutmeg. Place alternate layers corn flake mixture and cherries in baking dish. Dot with butter or margarine; add ¼ cup cherry sirup. Bake in moderately hot oven (375°F.) 20 min. Serves four.

o-o-o

BLUSHING BETTY

2 lbs. rhubarb; 1 1-3 cups sugar; 1-3 cup seedless raisins; 2 tbs. shortening; 1 egg; 1 cup flour; 1½ tsp. baking powder; ¼ tsp. salt; 1-3 cup milk; ½ tsp. vanilla extract.

Wash rhubarb; do not peel. Cut in 1" pieces; mix 1 cup sugar. Place in greased baking dish; add raisins. Cream shortening and 1-3 cup sugar. Add egg; beat well. Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Add alternately with milk or creamed mixture; add vanilla extract. Spread over fruit. Bake in moderate oven (350°F.) 1 hour. Serve hot. Serves 4 to 6.

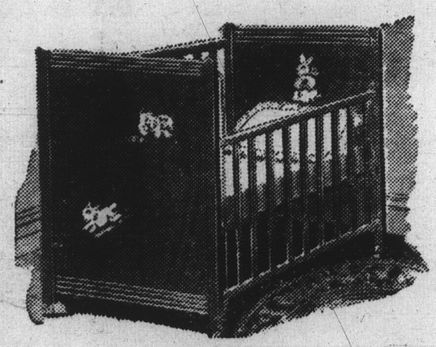
NUGGET WANT ADS GET RESULTS!

LUNCH
Will be served by the great fireplace of the Inn every day.
Soup ... Entree
Beverage
50c
Also serving
Excellent Dinners
$1.50 to $3.00
DEER CREEK INN
406 Broad Street -- Nevada City -- Phone 107

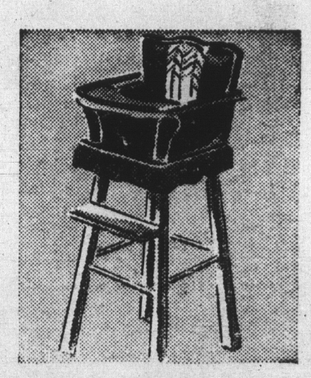
★ As Father Time closes the book on 1947, places it on the shelf with its predecessors and gingerly turns the fly leaf of 1948, we pause for a moment to express the hope that the New Year will shower all its blessings on you, that health, happiness and prosperity will be yours in unbounded measure. Drop in and see us any time.

Moran's Pharmacy
126 Mill St. - Phone 28
GRASS VALLEY

For the Ruler of the House!



For the Littlest . . .
A PANEL CRIB
Solid head and foot panels. Drop side, nursery color finishes. Well made and braced. With or without innerspring mattress. A Value!



UN-TIP-ABLE
Comfy High Chairs
Legs wide spread to prevent tipping, complete with back and seat cover.

De Luxe
CARRIAGES
Rubber tires, waterproof adjustable sun visor, sturdy steel springs, comfortable mattress, soft pillow.

For the Ruler of the House . . .
Alpha also has a complete stock of Taylor-Tots, Play Pens and Pads in various sizes . . . Swings with or without stands . . . Bathinettes, and everything it takes to make his or her highness comfortable and happy.

ALPHA HARDWARE CO. SINCE 1906
Grass Valley 88 Nevada City 5

HEALTH·HAPPINESS·PROSPERITY

Once Again we greet the New Year in the traditional manner—with pealing bells, with fun and gaiety, laughter and music.

Despite his ingenuity, man still persists in "watching the old year out and greeting the new year" in almost the identical manner of his forefathers.

In that same identical manner, we extend our traditional New Year's greeting to you:

MAY HEALTH, HAPPINESS AND PROSPERITY BE YOURS TODAY AND THROUGHOUT THE NEW YEAR

GRASS VALLEY FURNITURE CO.
South Auburn St. Grass Valley Public Market Building Phone 1087